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Price 4d. per Annum.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.
LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane,
Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET, 90,
Cornhill. GORDON & GORDON, 121, Hol-
born Hill, E.C. BARRIS HENRY & CO.,
4 Old Bailey, E.C.
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW
ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORDON, Mel-
bourne and Sydney.
SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports
generally.—W. WHITE & BLISS, 101,
California Street.
CHINA.—GORDON & GORDON, 121, Hol-
born Hill, E.C.
MADRID, C. KATHY & CO.

Arrivals.
June 10, Ellen Morris, from Whampoa.
June 10, Samuel Russell, American ship,
New York, Mar. 4, General.
June 10, Madras, British steamer, 579,
Colson, Sunderland, Feb. 27, 1000 tons
Coal. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.
June 11, Madras, British steamer, 1152,
Davis, Shanghai via Ningpo, June 8, and 8,
General. — P. & O. Co.

Passengers.
ARRIVED.—Per Mailand, Mr. F. Pedder.

Shipping Reports.
The British steamer Madras, Captain
Davis, from Shanghai via Ningpo, reports:
left Ningpo on the 27th inst. at 4 p.m.,
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New Advertisements.
"SAMUEL RUSSELL," FROM
NEW YORK.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-
named vessel are requested to send
in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned
for countersignature, and take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge, will be
landed and stored at Consignees' risk and
expense.
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

"STE. GERMAINE," FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-
named vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned
for countersignature, and take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the vessel's discharge
will be landed and stored at Consignees'
risk and expense.
LANDSTEIN & Co.
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

PER "CHUSAN," FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by above-named
vessel are requested to send in their
Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for
countersignature, and to take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-
sel will be landed and stored at consignees'
risk and expense.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

NOTICE.
MR. FRANCIS FREER's interest and res-
ponsibility in the Firm of Messrs.
MORRIS & Co. ceases from this date.
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.
CAPTAIN and MATE for Barque
"CIVITA."
Apply to
WAHKEE, SMITH & Co.
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

New Advertisements.
THE BARQUE OLIVER, with Cargo
hence to Manila at REDUCED Rate
of Freight, to enable Shippers per this ves-
sel to send their Goods at same advantage
as per Spanish ship.
WAHKEE, SMITH & Co.
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

PAWLOTT & CO.
SHIP CHANDLERS, GENERAL
STOREKEEPERS,
WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS,
SAIL MAKERS,
Commission Agents,
Whampoa Street, Hongkong.
April 1, 1869.

BONNETT & CO.
MILLINERY AND DRESSING ROOMS,
QUEEN'S ROAD.
HATS, BEAVERS, FUR, &c.
JEWELLERY, SILVER, &c.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

DR. VARNUM D'ARCOLLINS.
HOLDING a Diploma from the Philadel-
phia Dental College, resumes the
practice of his profession at Hongkong.
Patients may be visited at their residences, by
addressing him, Hongkong Hotel.
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

FOR SALE TO ARRIVE.
50 Bales of Fresh Californian OAT
HAY.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE.
The Transfer Books of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 15th to the
30th instant, both days included.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

THE Undersigned has established himself
as a GENERAL AUCTIONEER AND COM-
MISSION AGENT on the Ground-Floor of the
Hongkong Hotel, under the style of GUEDES
& Co.
J. M. GUEDES, Jr.
Hongkong, June 5, 1869.

APOTHECARY WANTED.
WANTED a qualified APOTHECARY for
the Seamen's Hospital.
For particulars, apply at the Hospital.
Hongkong, June 4, 1869.

PER OVERLAND MAIL.
MISS ROSE has just received a choice
assortment of Black and Colored
SILKS, BARGAINS, Fancy and Muslin
DRESSES.
RIBBONS, Velvet and Dress TRIM-
MINGS in great variety.
A large assortment of Ladies' and Child-
ren's BOOTS and SHOES.
WELLINGTON STREET,
Opposite the Catholic Chapel.
Hongkong, June 4, 1869.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF
CANTON.
NOTICE.
SHARE No. 119 has been placed in the
hands of the Directors for Sale. Seal-
ed TENDERS for purchase of same will be
received until the 15th June 1869.
By order of the Board,
ROBERT WATMORE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

FOR SALE.
DRAUGHT ALE & PORTER in Bbls.
Apply to
ROBERT S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

WANTED TO BUY, 4 SHARES in the
HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM-
PANY. State price and all particulars.
Address "A," care of China Mail Office.
Hongkong, April 28, 1869.

New Advertisements.
NAGASAKI PATENT SLIP.
THIS SLIP is now available for docking
Ships of 1,200 Tons or under, and all
work connected therewith, as also in the
SHIPWRIGHTS, JOINERS, BOAT-
BUILDERS, SPAR-MAKERS, and gen-
eral carpenters. The SLIP has
been substantially constructed, in a
perfectly land-locked and secure position,
and has been pronounced by competent au-
thorities to be the best existing work of
the kind.
For further information, apply to
GLOVER & Co.,
Managers.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

PAWLOTT & CO.
SHIP CHANDLERS, GENERAL
STOREKEEPERS,
WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS,
SAIL MAKERS,
Commission Agents,
Whampoa Street, Hongkong.
April 1, 1869.

THE Undersigned has received all Ac-
counts due to the above-named firm, and
will be glad to receive the same, and to
pay the same, as and when due.
TOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

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counts due to the above-named firm, and
will be glad to receive the same, and to
pay the same, as and when due.
TOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

F. A. WHEELER.
HAIR CUTTER & HAIR DRESSER,
26, Queen's Road,
(Opposite Lane & Crawford's).
Hongkong, March 19, 1869.

E. R. HANDLEY,
(Late PATRICK & HANDLEY.)
House and Ship Plumber,
Copper Smith, Zinc Worker, and
Gas Fitter,
16, Queen's Road West,
Hongkong, May 24, 1869.

L. FRICKEL & Co.
SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS,
GENERAL STOREKEEPERS,
AND
COMMISSION AGENTS,
Queen's Road, HONGKONG.

MORRIS & Co.,
AUCTIONEERS,
NEWS AND COMMISSION AGENTS,
QUEEN'S ROAD,
HONGKONG.
(Late J. B. Morris, News Agent.)

FESEFELD & Co.,
AUCTIONEERS,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND
GENERAL AGENTS,
QUEEN'S ROAD.
Next Door to "HONGKONG DISPENSARY."
Hongkong, May 1, 1869.

SAIL MAKING!!
WILLIAM DOLAN having returned to
Hongkong, has resumed his business
of SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his
old place in Duddell Street, and solicits the
patronage of the Public.
He has on hand a fine assortment of 8
and 10 ounce RAYBURN'S DUCK suitable
for Boat Sails or Arming.
Hongkong, April 20, 1869.

MILK! MILK!! MILK!!!
LUM TONG begs respectfully to thank
the public for the liberal patronage
they have extended to him for the last 15
years and to inform them that he has re-
cently purchased several first class Cows
(making in all 24) and made additions to
his premises, so that he is enabled to sup-
ply genuine milk in larger quantities than
heretofore at moderate prices.
28, SHIP STREET,
Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, May 21, 1869.

Auctions.
POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.
THE SAID advertised to take place
this Day at the Godowns of Messrs.
Smith, Archer & Co., Wanchi, is POST-
PONED to the 14th June,
J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

NIGHT SALE.
GUEDES & Co. will sell by Public
Auction, on
SATURDAY,
the 12th day of June, at 10 o'clock a.m.,
at the Godowns of Messrs. Smith, Archer
& Co., Wanchi, the following Goods, to-
wit:—
A fine collection of Old Paintings, in
oil frames.
Blackwood's Carved Chairs and Mar-
ble-top Tables, embroidered Screens with
carved Stands, Meerschaum Pipes and
Cigar Holders, Albums, Stereoscopes,
Slides, Table Covers and Rugs.
Gold Bracelets, Earrings, Seals, Keys,
Gold and Silver Watches.
An Invaluable PIANO MECHANIQUE,
by Stein & Sons, with Keyboard, in good
order, and mechanically perfect.
For further particulars, apply to
J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer,
Hongkong, June 10, 1869.

THE Undersigned has received all Ac-
counts due to the above-named firm, and
will be glad to receive the same, and to
pay the same, as and when due.
TOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

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pay the same, as and when due.
TOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

THURSDAY,
15th July, 1869, at 3 p.m.,
At the Office of the Trustees, 7, Pedder's
Hill, Hongkong.
The Property at FOCHOOW, known
as DENT & Co.'s, consisting of:
DWELLING HOUSE,
containing 8 Rooms and Bath Rooms,
with Servants' Offices and Stables detach-
ed; the whole surrounded by a Garden.
This House is at present let on a short
Lease.
OFFICES AND GODOWNS.
A House containing 4 Offices and
Spacious Tea Room, with fire-proof God-
downs, large Treasury, and Comptroller's
Rooms below, Servants' Offices, &c., at-
tached.
Three large Godowns, A, B, and C,
as per plan, adjoining the above.
This property has water frontage, is
situated in the most eligible portion of
the business quarter of Fochoow, and is
let on a Repeating Lease for 5 years,
commencing from the 1st May 1869, at
the annual rental of \$4,500.
For further particulars, apply to
FRANK PEREIRA,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, May 20, 1869.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
WINE, HORSES, Etc., Etc., Etc.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have
received instructions to sell by
Public Auction, at Noon, on
FRIDAY,
the 25th instant, at No. 17, Cairne Road,
the residence of the Honorable W. H.
RENNIE.
The whole of that Gentleman's English
Made FURNITURE, comprising Draw-
ing, Dining and Bed Room Suites,
Crockery, Glass, Plated Ware, etc.
About 60 dozen Choice Wines, as
Claret, Sherry, etc., and a few doz.
Cognac Brandy.
Also,
Sundry French Stores, including Truf-
fles, Vegetables, Oil, Vinegar, etc.
The Australian Pony Half Caste.
The white Arab Saracen.
A 4 wheel Dog Cart Phaeton, Har-
ness, etc.
The Horses will be sold at 2 o'clock,
and the Wines and Stores immediately
afterwards.
Catalogues will be issued and the
whole may be viewed on and after
Thursday, the 24th inst.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
Hongkong, June 10, 1869.

Auctions.
PUBLIC AUCTION.
JAPANESE WARE.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell
by Public Auction, in their Sale
Rooms, Queen's Road, on
TUESDAY,
the 15th inst. at 2 past 2 o'clock.
A well selected Invoice of JAPANESE
WARE, consisting of Bronze, Terra
Cotta, &c., &c., &c.
Also, a fine collection of Japanese
Lacquered Ware, including Tea Sets,
Tables, Fans, Embroidered
Screens, &c., &c., &c.
All lots with all faults and errors of de-
scription at purchaser's risk on the fall
of the hammer.
Hongkong, June 10, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received in-
structions to sell by Public Auction,
on
WEDNESDAY,
the 16th day of June, at 11 o'clock a.m.,
and every succeeding day until the whole
is disposed of.—The entire STOCK-IN-
TRADE of
Messrs. Thos. Hunt & Co.,
Pedder's Wharf, comprising—
Oilman's Stores, Hardware, Cabbages,
Fairbanks' Scales, Canvas, Rope, Rub-
ber and Hemp Packing, Plated Ware,
Crockery and Glass Ware, Lard, &c., &c.
Wines, Ale, Potatoes, Liquors, etc., etc.
Office Furniture and Store Fixtures.
Cargo and House BOATS.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, June 5, 1869.

Banks.
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-
ING CORPORATION.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid
Capital of One Hundred Dollars per
Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the
Corporation's Stock will fall due on the
dates following, viz:—
On 1st July, 1869, \$25
1st July, 1870, 25
1st Jan., 1872, 25
1st Jan., 1873, 25
\$100
Shareholders electing to pay the whole
or any portion of the above Calls by anti-
cipation will receive interest at the rate of
5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly,
until the respective dates at which the
Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such
payments will be issued at the Head Office
and Branches.
By Order of the Court of Directors,
VICTOR KRESSER,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-
ING CORPORATION.
SUSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF
DOLLARS.
COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—Geo. F. HARRIS, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—JULIUS MENKE, Esq.
GEORGE J. HILLMAN, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR,
A. JOSE, Esq.,
WILLIAM LEMANN, Esq., P. DUNCANSON,
Esq., W. H. FORBES, Esq., RICHARD ROWETT,
S. D. SASSOON, Esq., Esq.,
E. R. BELLIOS, Esq.,
Managers.
Hongkong, VICTOR KRESSER, Esq.,
Chief Manager.
Shanghai, DAVID MACLEAN, Esq.,
London Bankers.—London and County
Bank.

HONGKONG.
INTEREST ALLOWED
ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate
of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily
balance.
On Fixed Deposits—
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "
LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Credits granted on approved Securities,
and every description of Banking and
Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London, and the
chief Commercial places in Europe, India,
Australia, America, China and Japan.
VICTOR KRESSER,
Chief Manager.
Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

HOTEL DE FRANCE,
A CANTON.
Services comfortable, prix modérés.
20 Mai, 1869.

Shipping.
SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOOW.
THE P. & O. S. S. Co.'s Steam-ship
"ALACCA,"
will leave for the above place, about 24
hours after the arrival of the English Mail,
due here on 17th inst.
W. MACAULAY,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, June 10, 1869.

FOR AMOY AND MANILA.
The steamer
"PUNG HUEY,"
will be despatched for Amoy, at
Noon, on SATURDAY, the 12th
inst., and will call here about the 21st
inst., on her way to Manila.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, June 10, 1869.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOOW.
The Steam-ship
"YENSO,"
Captain ASHROB, will leave
Hongkong for the above ports, on
MONDAY next, the 14th inst., at Noon.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAURENCE,
Hongkong, June 10, 1869.

FOR LONDON.
The O. S. S. Co.'s Str.
"ACHILLES,"
Russell, Master, will be
despatched from Fochoow
for the above port, on
after the opening of the Tea Market, call-
ing at Hongkong, if sufficient inducement
offers.
Rate of Freight as follows:
If the passage is made to Gravesend in
75 days or under, £6. 6/ per ton 40 ft.
75 " " £6. " "
80 " " £5. 10/ " "
over 80 " " £5. " "
GEO. E. LANE,
Agent.
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

FOR LONDON.
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over 80 " " £5. " "
GEO. E. LANE,
Agent.
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

O. S. S. Co.'s Steamers.
INSURANCE.
If required by shippers, at the time of
making freight contracts, certificate
of Insurance, against Fire or Sinking, on first
class English Commodities, may be obtained
from the underwriter at the following rates:
47s. 6d. per cent. on goods to London.
55s. 6d. per cent. Hankow to London.
Net cash, including average and cost of
stamp.
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Shanghai, 27th April, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The American ship
"AKBAR,"
Crocker, Master, will have
quick despatch for the above
Port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, May 29, 1869.

FOR SYDNEY.
The Dutch Barque
"CONSTANCE,"
Capt. SCUDGORTH, will have quick
despatch for the above Port.
For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

Shipping.

FOR MANILA.
The barque "CIVITA,"
will have quick despatch.
For Freight or Passage, apply
to
WAHNE, SMITH & Co.
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
The North German barque
"MATADOR,"
7500 picul capacity.
Apply to
MORGAN LAMBERT & Co.
Hongkong, June 2, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The British ship
"MARY,"
Captain Townsend, will have
quick despatch for the above
port.
For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, May 27, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE.
The first-class French brig
"EMMA,"
Capt. Tuck, will have quick
despatch for the above port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BERNARD DEGENAER.
Hongkong, May 25, 1869.

FOR MANILA.
The Spanish barque
"SANTA ANA,"
Capt. Master, will meet with
quick despatch for the above
port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
REMEDIOS & Co.
Hongkong, May 24, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK.
The American barque
"A. W. STEVENS,"
will load here and Whampoa
for New York and have
despatch.
For Freight, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The N. G. barque
"EDWARD,"
Captain Smith, will have quick
despatch for the above port.
For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, May 10, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The American ship
"MALAY,"
will have quick despatch for the
above port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, May 7, 1869.

Notices to Consignees.

SWEDISH BARQUE "ELLIDA" FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above
vessel are hereby requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned
for countersignature and to take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge will be
landed and stored at Consignees' risk and
expense.

BOURJAU, HUBNER & Co.
Hongkong, June 9, 1869.

"COLUMBUS" FROM GLASGOW.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-
named Vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned
for countersignature and to take im-
mediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the
vessel will be landed and stored at Con-
signees' risk and expense.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steamer "JAPAN" FROM YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-
named Vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned
for countersignature and to take im-
mediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the
vessel will be landed and stored at Con-
signees' risk and expense.

GEO. E. LANE, Agent.
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

NOTICE.
The following cases have been landed
and stored at one risk and expense of
the Consignees, who are requested to take
immediate delivery.
Ex "Cambridge," 2d February, 1869.
UFO 16985. 1 case Chemicals.
C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

NOTICE.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's
Steamship "Tiger" are requested
to send in their Bills of Lading, for
countersignature, and to take delivery
of their Goods before the 1st of June, or they
will be landed and stored at their risk and
expense.
C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.
Hongkong, May 27, 1869.

OCEAN QUEEN, STEAMER, FROM GLASGOW.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-
named Vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned
for countersignature and to take im-
mediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the
above steamer, will be landed and stored at
Consignees' risk and expense.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, May 10, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

**THE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foo-
chow, will be carried on from and
after this date under the style and firm of
KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co.
The partners therein being, Mr WILLIAM
BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr THOMAS LAR-
KEN, LARKEN.
WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR.
Foochow, May 1, 1869.**

HONGKONG HOTEL.
FROM this date the Management of the
Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge
of Mr GEORGE E. PORRIS, to whom all com-
munications should be addressed.

YEE-VO & Co.
Hongkong Hotel,
April 1, 1869.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself as a
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-
JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.
C. LANGDON DAVIES.
Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

**R.M. this date Mr GEORGE E. LANE,
will act as agent of the Pacific Mail
Steamship Company at this port.
GEO. F. BOWMAN.
Hongkong, March 15, 1869.**

NOTICE.
I HAVE established myself at Kobe, and
Osaka, as COMMISSION MERCHANT and
GENERAL AGENT.
HENRY LUCAS.
Hongkong, April 16, 1869.

NOTICE.
WE have this day admitted Mr BEN-
JAMIN E. GALL, as a partner in our
Firm.
FAWCETT & Co.
Hongkong, April 1, 1869.

NOTICE.
WE have authorized Mr CLAUD BUDDS
to sign our Firm from this date.
DREYER & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
MR D. O. CLARK retires from our Firm,
and Mr J. MURRAY FORBES and
Mr E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners
from this date.
RUSSELL & Co.
China, January 1, 1869.

NOTICE.
MR JOHN FAIRBANK and Mr JOHN
SAMUEL COX, will sign our firm per
procuration from this date.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, April 15, 1869.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr
WILLIAM NELSON in our Firm ceased
on the 30th June last.
Mr THOMAS PIM, Mr WILLIAM NISBET
OSMISTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR-GRABY are
authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong
and China from this date.
OLYPHANT & Co.
Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

For Sale.

NOW READY.
(AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.)
PRICE \$1.00.

THE ANGLO-CHINESE CALENDAR MANUAL.

A Handbook of reference for the deter-
mination of Chinese Dates, during the
period from 1800 to 1869, with comparative
Tables of Annual and Mensural Designations,
&c., &c. Compiled by WILLIAM FREDER-
ICK MATYEN, H.M.C.S.

Author's Preface.
Most persons whose avocations or studies
are connected even remotely with Chinese
subjects are wont to confess the need of a
convenient manual of reference for the pur-
pose of determining dates according to
either the European or the Chinese method
of computation; and a system of compar-
ison for the names attributed to years,
months, and other periods is also frequent-
ly a desideratum with translators and
readers of Chinese literature. The com-
piler of the following tables has thought,
accordingly, that their publication in a
convenient form may prove useful, although
much yet remains to be done for the elab-
oration of comparative calendrical data, that
should have nothing to be desired. With
the exception of the Cyclical Table of
Years, and the Table of Solar Terms, both
of which were originally compiled by Dr.
Morrison, and afterwards republished with
improvements in Williams' Commercial
Guide, from which (with some alteration)
they are now copied, the whole of the mat-
ter assembled in the following pages is for
the first time made accessible to general
reference.

Published by O. A. SAINT, China Mail
Office, Hongkong.

Ex "Mary Nicholson" and "Katsow."
**HUBBUCK'S PAINTS, OIL, and TUR-
PENTINE.**
Base's ALE, in Quarts and Pints.
Guinness's STOUT, in Quarts and Pints.
CLARET, VERMOUTH, SHERRY.
To arrive per "Chusan."

Base's ALE, in Kilderkins.
MACLEWEN & Co.
Hongkong, May 20, 1869.

FOR SALE.
PRICE: \$11.00.
Published by Léon Pagès.
Apply to
J. DE SOUZA,
Hollywood Road,
Hongkong, May 15, 1869.

**DICTIONNAIRE JAPONAIS FRAN-
CAIS.**
Paris, 1868.
Apply to
J. DE SOUZA,
Hollywood Road,
Hongkong, May 15, 1869.

For Sale.

**HAMS, CHEESE, AND OILMAN'S
STORES, &c.**
Ex "Douglas Castle."
MACLEWEN & Co. have just landed
from the above vessel—
A choice Invoice of Pale and Smoked
York HAMS, Prime Cheddar CHEESE, in
tins, and Breakfast BACON, in tins.
Also, Crosse and Blackwell's mixed
PICKLES, Capt. White's Oriental PICKLE,
and a general assortment of the finest OIL-
MAN'S STORES for family use.
13, Queen's Road,
Hongkong, May 29, 1869.

EX PALLOON AND ZIBA.
NEW GOODS FOR THE SEASON.
LONG CLOTH SHIRTS with Linen
Fronts, Gauze, Merino and Silk
UNDERSHIRTS, Linen and Paper CUL-
LARS, White, Brown and Stripe Thread
and Cotton SOCKS, NECKTIES and
SCARFS, Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS,
Straw HATS, Ellwood's HELMETS, Sang-
ster's UMBRELLAS, Masala VESTS,
Trower DUCK and DRILL, ALPACA,
French MERINO and PARA-MATTAS.
Ladies' and Children's Trimmed and
Untrimmed HATS, White and Fancy Man-
lin and cloths, DRESSERS, French Cambric
CAMBRICS, Silk, Lisle Thread and Cot-
ton HOSIERY, Silk GLOVES, Trimmed
BODICES, Cambric EDGINGS, RIB-
BONS, LACES, VELVETS, HABER-
DASHERY, &c.
Window CURTAINS, Mosquito NETS,
SHEETINGS and COUNTERPANES,
Bath and Toilet TOWELS, Antimacassars
and Toilet COVERS, Damask Table
LINEN, Gauze, Flannels, STATION-
NERY of all kinds, PERFUMERY,
BRUSHES, SOAPS, SPONGES, CHE-
dren's PERAMBULATORS, &c., &c.
S. W. BAKER & Co.
Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

FOR SALE.
A FEW Superior RIFLES adapted for
prize shooting, both breech and muzzle
loaders, regular bore.
LANDSTEIN & Co.
Hongkong, May 3, 1869.

FOR SALE.
Just landed ex M. I. Str. "Imperatrice."
LARDERS: Chateaux, Laites, Larose,
Palmer, Also,
St. George, St. Julien,
Margaux, St. Emilion,
White WINES, Haut Sauterne, Cha-
blais, &c., &c.
LANDSTEIN & Co.
Hongkong, May 3, 1869.

FOR SALE.
THE following Properties belonging to
the Estate of DEBT & Co.
At Hongkong. The Property at present
occupied by Messrs EVANS & HARKNESS,
consisting of a Dwelling House, with Ser-
vants' Offices and Stables and three Go-
downs each 150 feet by 60.
The situation of this Property outside
the British concession, its river frontage of
320 feet and extensive Godown accommodation
makes it one of the most valuable at
Hankow especially for steam-boats purposes.
At Kowloon. Four Lots on the British
Concession with a frontage of 232 feet on
the river bank. The buildings consist of
a Dwelling House, with Servants' Offices
and two Godowns 100 feet by 50 and 105
feet by 66 on the front Lots, and of a Go-
down 155 feet by 66 feet on the back Lot.
For further particulars, apply at the Of-
fice of the Trustees.

No. 7, Pedder's Hill;
H. P. HANSEN,
Shanghai.
Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

FOR SALE.
AT the Victoria Foundry, The Manch-
ester Patent Powerful Hand FIRE
PUMP, with 20 feet of HOSE; will throw
the water 45 feet high, can be kept in the
Bed-room, Parlour or any other part, ready
for immediate use.
Hongkong, May 18, 1869.

New Advertisements.
PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned will sell by Public
Auction, at their Sales Rooms, on
MONDAY,
the 14th inst., at 11 o'clock A.M.,—
A small Invoice of very fine Butter in
tins.
An Invoice of Stationery, comprising:
Note and Letter Paper, Overland Post,
Envelopes, Pens and Penholders, Letter
Copying Books, Account Books, &c.
75 cases superior Dinner Cloth.
100 cases good Breakfast Cloth.
150 cases Musketts.
30 doz. colored Finger Glasses.
200 doz. white Handkerchiefs.
250 doz. Men's and Children's Socks.
50 doz. white Cotton Undershirts.
50 doz. Bathing Drawers.
Also,
(To close consignments),
Pale Ale, Wines, Liquors, Currants,
Nails, Cigars, Clay Pipes, Leather,
Blankets, Watches, Clocks,
And,
Sundry Household Furniture.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
FESEFELD & Co.,
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING
CORPORATION.**
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Second
CALL of Twenty Five Dollars per
Share on the Shares in the Capital of the
Corporation numbered from 20,001 to
40,000 inclusive is payable on the 1st day
of July next, at the Head Office and
Branches of the Bank.
Interest at the rate of twelve per centum
per annum will be charged on the amount
of all Calls unpaid, and the other provisions
of the 38th Article of the Deed of Settle-
ment of the Corporation will also be en-
forced in respect of Shares upon which the
Calls remain unpaid.
By order of the Court of Directors,
V. KRESSER,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.
BEST Cavite CIGARETTES and CIGARS.
Manila CIGARS, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4
and 5.
BIEFELD & ZACHARIE.
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

**HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER
OF COMMERCE.**
THE Fortnightly Market Circulars pub-
lished by the CHAMBER, will in future
be delivered from the Office of the Under-
signed from 10 A.M. of the morning pre-
ceding the steamer's departure. The Circulars
are at the disposal of non-Members, on ap-
plication to the Secretary, who will furnish
particulars of cost, &c.
J. W. WOOD,
Secretary.
Club Chambers,
Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

MESSRS. KOSS & Co.
BEG to inform the public of Hongkong
that they had established themselves
as
TAILORS & GENERAL OUTFITTERS.
on the premises hitherto occupied by Messrs
LADAGE, OELKE & Co.
Having secured the services of an ex-
perienced European Cutter, and also having
received per late arrivals a very superior
stock of NEW GOODS, of the latest pat-
terns, they are prepared to meet all the re-
quirements of the present season.
A large stock of Ready-made CLOTH-
ING, of the latest Fashions, always on
hand.
KOSS & Co.,
Queen's Road Central,
Hongkong, February 5, 1869.

**OCCIDENTAL HOTEL,
SAN FRANCISCO,
CALIFORNIA.**
THE Occidental Hotel having been re-
cently improved and refurnished, is
now in complete order in all its appoint-
ments.
Travellers will find the Accommodations
of this well known Hotel equal to those of
the best Hotels of the Eastern States and
Europe.
—Hongkong, April 13, 1869.

**GEORGE GLASSE,
(FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO
KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY
LONDON, AND 28, PLACE
VENDOME, PARIS)
ENGLISH AND FOREIGN
CHEMIST
VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
HONGKONG.
SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS
SUPPLIED & REFILLED.
Hongkong, May 1, 1867.**

**ANDREW MILLAR,
HOUSE, SHIP, AND STEAM-BOAT
COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER
No. 1, Queen's Road East
and Nuliah Lane.
Hongkong, October 28, 1868.**

**BOARD AND RESIDENCE at No. 5,
BONHAM ROAD, W. Good Accommoda-
tion.
Apply at
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
Hongkong, January 29, 1869.**

FORMOSA COAL DEPOT AT KILUNG
HAS on hand a large Stock of COALS of
best quality, and is prepared to sup-
ply Steamers and Sailing Vessels with quick
despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the
same under Contract, at Hongkong and any
Treaty Port in China.
The Depot drawing supplies from the
best Mines only, intends to provide a superior
article, free of the Surface Coal that has
hitherto prejudiced consumers.
MILISCH & Co.,
Agents.
Kilung, April 2, 1868.

THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS.
IS published in London for the P. & O.
Co.'s and French Mails, and contains—
Summary of Home, Parliamentary, and
Foreign News.
Special Correspondents' Letters from
Germany, Holland, &c.
Leading Articles on the principal inter-
ests of China.
Digest of Home Opinions on China Sub-
jects.
List of Passengers by the current and
succeeding Mails.
Naval and Military News.
Births, Marriages, and Deaths.
Commercial, Banking, Share Lists, &c.
Market Reports, Shipping News, Freight,
Exchanges, &c., from London and the
Continent, New York, &c.
Statistics of Imports and Exports.
Supplement.
Statement of each Ship's Cargo for
China and Japan, and by the P. & O.
Mails.
Subscription—\$12 per Annum. With
Export Supplement, \$14.50. Single Copies,
60 cents.
MURRIE & Co.,
Agents, Queen's Road.
Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

NOTICE.
**RENTS and Accounts COLLECTED with
punctuality and despatch.**
District WARRANTS or Rent IS-
SUED and EXECUTED.
Security, if required.
THOS. W. BARRINGTON.
53, Wyndham Street.
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

**BROWN, JONES & Co.,
UNDERTAKERS.
MONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES
ERECTED, in the Best Style.
LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on
the Shortest Notice.
Apply at
Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.**

PHOTOGRAPHS.—Rooms, Commercial
Bank Buildings, Queen's Road.
Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.
DOCUMENTS Translated, at reasonable
rates, from English, French, Spanish,
Italian, Portuguese or German into Chi-
nese, or from Chinese into English. Ad-
dress, "The China Mail" Office,
The "China Mail" Office,
2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
June 10, Nanuanu, Hawaiian, schooner,
150, Hager, Tamsui, June 8, General—
Mskorthis & Co.
June 10, Chusan, British ship, 819, Roy,
London, Jan. 27, General—HOLLIDAY,
Wiss & Co.
June 11, Parejeto, British barque, 402,
King, Liverpool, Feb. 24, General—R. S.
WALKER & Co.
June 11, St. Germaine, French barque,
330, Rullier, Bordeaux, Feb. 15, General—
LANDSTEIN & Co.

PASSENGERS.
Per Nanuanu, 10 Chinese and 3 Malays.
Per Chusan, Mr. Ross.

CLEARED.
America, for Macao.
Corder, for Macao.
Cart Ritter, for Yokohama.
Chin Ahin, for Yokohama.

SHIPPING REPORTS.
The Hawaiian schooner, Nanuanu, from
Tamsui, reports during the voyage strong
N.E. and E. gales and high N. and N.E.
swell.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.
MAILS WILL CLOSE:—
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW.—
Per "YESSO" on Monday, the 14th
Inst., at 11 A.M.
The Mails for Swatow, Amoy and Foo-
chow, per "FORMOSA," will close
at Noon, on Monday, the 14th Inst.,
instead of at the time previously no-
tified.
For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-
CUTTA.—
Per Indian Mail Packet "LIGHT-
NING," at 11 A.M., on Saturday,
the 13th Inst.
For Amoy.—
Per "FUNG SHUEY," To-morrow, the
12th Instant, at 11.30 A.M.

UNDER DESPATCH.
For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.—
Per "United Service," at Noon, on Saturday,
the 19th Instant.
For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.—Per
"Formosa," at 1 P.M., on Monday, the 14th
Instant.
For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.—Per
Yesso, on Monday, the 14th Instant, at
Noon.
For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.—
Per "Lightning," at noon, on Saturday,
the 19th inst.
For Amoy.—Per "Fung Shuey," at noon,
to-morrow, the 12th inst.

CARGOES.
Cargo per Madras, from Shanghai via
Ningpo—
400 bales Cotton.
224 rolls Mats.
271 packages Medicines.
16 cases Hams.
5 cases Cattle Fish.
10 jars Sausages.
9 packages Sundries.
(From the Canton Customs Daily Returns.)
Imported per "United Service," from Shang-
hai—
327 bales Nankeen.
47 bales Paper.
32 bales Wool.
39 bales Wax.
300 bags Wheat.
133 packages Sundries.
Per Belled Hill, on the berth for Lon-
don—
22 boxes Preserves.
1720 boxes Scented Orange Pokoe Tea.
6 boxes Congon Tea.
1 case China Ware.
4 cases Sundries.
Summary of Imports and Exports passed
at the Canton River Steamer Office during
the week ended 5th June.
Imported per Kinsan and Poyang from
Hongkong—
645 bales Bengal Cotton.
354 bales Bombay Cotton.
30 bales Native Cotton.
175 bales Cotton Yarn.
66 bales Nankeen.
44 packages Smelt.
150 bales Straw Braids.
10 packages Wax.
1084 pigs Lead.
2705 plants Iron Rods, Bars and Hoops
10 cases Green Paint.
93 chests Patna Opium.
3 chests Malwa Opium.
5 cases Ginseng.
70 cases Tobacco.
128 cases and bales Cotton Goods.
15 cases and bales Woollen Goods.
135 packages Sundries.
Exported per Kinsan and Poyang to
Hongkong—
15 cases Silk Piece Goods.
1 case Silk Handkerchiefs.
96 tons (350 piculs) Cassia.
112 cases Glass Bangles.
105 boxes Preserves.
12 boxes Glass Bells.
10 cases Paper.
12 baskets Citron.
12 packages Tobacco.
7 cases Umbrellas.
5 packages Medicines.
44 tons Tea.
175 packages and parcels Sundries.
Per Joseph Hambro, cleared for Tientsin—
44 bales dried Flowers and Seeds.
50 cases dried Indigo.
320 cases and tubs Red, White and
Yellow Lead.
130 cases Paper.
110 cases Kosi.
870 bags Sugar.
100 cases Sugar Candy.
812 cases Tobacco.
67 bales Turmeric.
235 packages Sundries.

QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, 11th June, 1869.
OPIMUM.—Patna, New, ... \$582
Old, ... 590
Benares, New, ... 555
Old, ... 545, nom.
Malwa, ... 640
Persian, ... 565
COTTON.—Bombay, ... 17 1/2 23 1/2
Calcutta, ... 17 1/2 21 1/2
SHANGHAI, ...

Exchange.
Bank, 6 months' sight, ... 4 7/8
Credits, 6 ... 4 1/2
On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 233
Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 233
Shanghai, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tls. 76
Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., ... 6, nom.
Sycow, ... 2.75 a 3.25
Mexican, ... 20
Gold Leaf, ... 20
Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... 22.60 a 22.80
English Sovereigns, ... 4.47
Australian Sovereigns, ... 4.45
Discount, ... 10 a 12
Gas Company Shares, ... 40 nom.
H. & W. P. Dock, Old, ... 10 p. a. dist.
Do. New, ... 10 p. c.
H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 36 a 38 p. c. p.
Do. New, ... 10 p. c.
United Dock, ... 30 a 35 p. c. dist., nom.

Temperature.
Hongkong, 11th June, 1869.
(Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises
Queen's Road.)

Thermometer, 6 A.M., Dry, ... 80
Do. 4 P.M., Dry, ... 79
Do. 4 P.M., Wet, ... 81
Self-registering Maximum, ... 81
Do. Minimum, ... 78
Barometer, 9 A.M., ... 29.93
Do. 4 P.M., ... 29.82

NOTES & QUERIES
ON
CHINA AND JAPAN,
IS NOW READY.
"CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

PRINTING of every description exe-
cuted at the "China Mail" Office
with accuracy, neatness, punctuality,
and at reasonable charges, by
CHARLES A. SAINT.

DIED.
At New Bedford, Massachusetts, on the
12th of April, FRANCIS S. HATHAWAY,
Esquire, formerly a resident of Canton,
aged about 64 years.

THE CHINA MAIL.
HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JUNE 11, 1869.

WANTED.—MUNICIPAL LAW.
An amusing chapter might be written
about the miseries of European life in
the midst of Chinese in Hongkong—
amusing, that is, to those who do not
suffer from them, for "He jests at scars
who never felt a wound." These miseries
are gradually extending their area of evil.
Quarters of the city once held sacred to
the foreign residents—where a quiet
Sunday might have been enjoyed, where
the calmest of peace excluded its gentle
fragrance, free from the abominable
odours of a Celestial cuisine, and medi-
tations appropriate to the day were
unbroken by the indications of Chinese
sociality—these quarters are fast being
invaded by the native children of the
soil (the native Chinese we mean), their
habits, manners, customs, and everything
peculiarly their own. In those happy
regions of the best where the character-
istics of life still retain a purely foreign
exterior, where the dulcet sounds of the
piano are not marred by the horrible
screams of native instruments, and
where the native barber holds no gossip
at the corner of the street, it is possible
that existence even in Hongkong may
be enjoyable; but let it be associated
with the clamour, filth, street nuisances,
and the *et cetera* of Celestials, and life
becomes very burdensome indeed. Of
course it is impossible to prohibit the
occupancy by Chinese of houses intended
for foreigners; that would be an im-
proper interference with the rights of private
property. It is only reasonable that if a
house owner cannot get a foreign
tenant, he should not be prevented from
accepting a China or any other man.
But the moral we wish to enforce is that
this right should be enjoyed subject to
the Municipal restrictions which obtain
in all well-ordered towns, and that if a
landlord accepts Chinese tenants they
must be made to conform to the inner and
outer regulations by which foreign life is
characterized, so far, that is, as relates to
the observances that may be considered as
coming within the cognizance of foreign
Municipal law.

But there is no municipal law in Hong-
kong, and hence the unfortunate people
who happen to be neighbours to the na-
tive race have to endure much discomfort
which a very small amount of really
municipal supervision would relieve them
from, or revenge themselves by methods
for which are not recognised by law. For
example: not long ago, a number of
Chinese, tenants of a range of houses not
100 yards from the Post Office, chose to
indulge in the amusement of crack-
firing; they sat in the Court of their

palace—which was, to
roughly smoked the
furiously, and utterly
appeals made by the
opposite that they
The only answer
"Chinaman too

Insurance.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
 Agents for the above **INSURANCE**
OFFICE, are prepared to accept *Marine*
Risks, and issue Policies on any first class
 Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual
 terms, payable in case of loss, in **CHINA,**
SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
 Hongkong, June 21 1864.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

The following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding One Month,	1 per cent.
Above One Month and not exceeding Three Months,	1 per cent.
Above Three Months and not exceeding Six Months,	2 per cent.
Above Six Months,	The full Annual Rate of 1 per cent.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE & THUNDER, &c.

On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein — in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool,
Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

REDUCTION
IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR
FIRE INSURANCE.

HE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EFFECTS, therein contained.

In cases of DWELLING-HOUSES removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be *Three-quarters per Cent.* in place of *One per Cent.* per Annum as hitherto charged; and in cases of Residences, so situated, be-

The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE INSURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :—
Detached and semi-detached.
Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their

Other Dwelling-Houses (simi-
larly situated) and their
Contents, 8 per cent.
First Class China House and
their Contents, 1 1/2 per cent.
Other Risks as per special arrangement.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insurance Company.
Hongkong, November 9 1866

**PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF
SAN FRANCISCO.**

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above
Company are prepared to grant Policies
against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and
CARGOES, at reasonable rates.

RUSSELL & Co.
 Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

**BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE
 COMPANY.**

THE Undersigned having been appointed
 Agents in Hongkong for the above
 named COMPANY are prepared to grant Po-

policies against SEA RISKS, at current rates
 HONGKONG, APRIL 1, 1865.
 YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.
 POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to
 all parts of the world at current rates.

In addition to the usual brokerage, the Association returns to the assured Fifteen per cent of its yearly profits divided pro rata to the net premium contributed.

RUSSELL & Co.
Secretaries.

Hongkong, June 4, 1860.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY
OF SAN FRANCISCO

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insurance COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current rates.

FUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARANG SEA AND

**FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF
SAMARANG.**

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HE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents in Macao for the above named
Company are prepared to grant Policies
covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.

DAVINA & Co.

Macao, August 4. 1866.

DE OOSTERLING
SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM.
PANY OF BATAVIA.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR.
ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea-Risks on the usual terms.

SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, August 1, 1866.

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